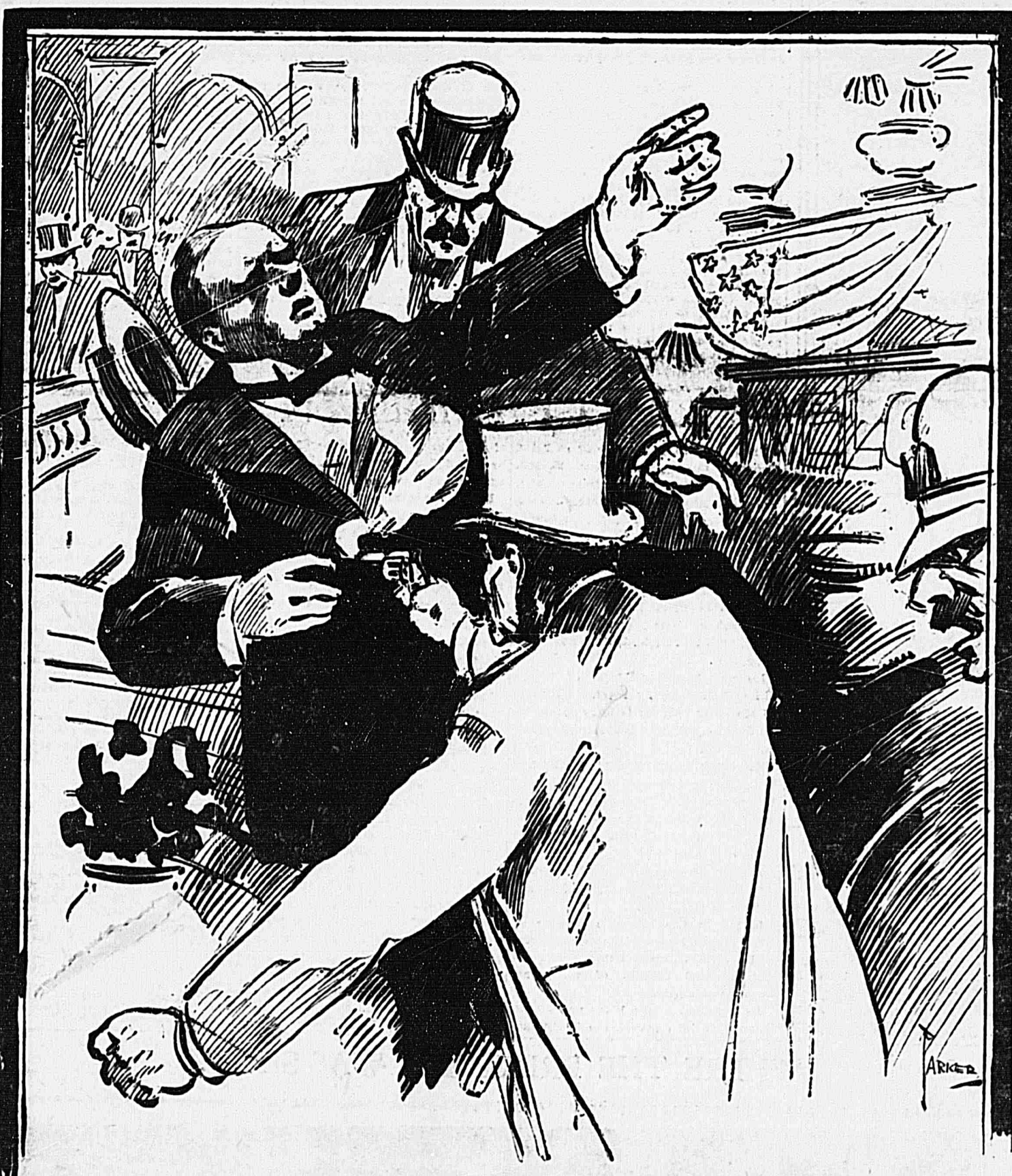


M'KINLEY'S CONDITION NOW IS

SERIOUS

PRESIDENT SHOT BY ANARCHIST



THE SHOOTING OF THE PRESIDENT.

Scene in the Temple of Music when the assassin attacked McKinley. Picture made from description.

GREAT TIDAL WAVE SWEEPED OVER STEAMER GRAND REPUBLIC.

A tidal wave swept the Rockaway steamer Grand Republic this evening and eleven hundred passengers were thrown into a panic.

At least fifty of the passengers were seriously hurt and scores of others were bruised and shocked.

It was reported that a boy was swept overboard, but this could not be verified.

The Grand Republic was crowded when she left on her last trip from Rockaway, an excursion party of several hundred persons from Yonkers being aboard.

The weather was rough and big waves impeded the progress of the steamer.

When some distance off Manhattan Beach the captain, following his usual course, steered in toward shore.

Running along under a good head of steam, the vessel was going toward a sandbar and came near running ashore.

Before the people could get upstairs, another wave swept along, boarded the boat and knocked passengers and crew from their feet.

A cry of alarm from the upper deck told of a tidal wave fully a dozen feet high, coming along at express speed.

Before any of those below could escape the volume of water hit the steamer forward and to the side.

It swept the decks clean, jammed people in heaps in corners and almost drowned several. Women and children shrieked for help, and some making their way bleeding and wet to the skin to the upper decks added to the terror prevailing there, and the crew had difficulty preventing many jumping overboard.

There was a wild panic on the lower deck, the people as soon as they regained their feet thronging to the gangways in an effort to get above.

Several were hurt in this jam, and while these were struggling women ran around in a frenzy, and men fought for life preservers.

The crew did good work, and after restoring some semblance of order carried the injured to the upper decks, where a solitary doctor on board, assisted by volunteers, bound up their wounds and made them as comfortable as possible.

One little girl, who narrowly escaped being carried overboard, had her ribs crushed and was injured internally. A man had his jaw badly fractured and several had fingers broken and limbs disjointed, while others suffered bodily bruises and shock.

The lower deck was badly damaged, the barber shop, bar and chowder-stand and checking-room being wrecked. The water swept in a torrent into the women's parlor, and was knee deep on the dancing floor and ran down into the engine-room.

Two Bullets Enter the President's Body---
One in the Chest Removed.

The Other One Penetrated Both Walls of His
Stomach---Assassin Arrested.

BUFFALO, Sept. 6.--10 P. M.

President M'Kinley, who was shot twice this afternoon at the Buffalo Exposition grounds, lies in a serious condition at the home of John G. Milburn, President of the Exposition.

Col. Michael has wired Secretary Hay that the surgeons will send him an official bulletin of the President's condition, which at 8.45 o'clock this evening took a critical turn.

The bullet which struck him in the breast was removed shortly after the shooting. The wound in the stomach is causing the physicians the gravest apprehensions. The bullet, which pierced both walls of the abdomen, has not yet been removed.

An effort was made to locate it at 6 o'clock, but the doctors desisted after nearly an hour's work, as the patient was growing weaker. It was decided to make another attempt to-morrow.

Frederick Nieman, the assassin, is under strong guard at the Buffalo Police Headquarters.

He narrowly escaped lynching at the hands of a frenzied mob of 20,000 men and women in the Exposition grounds, who seized every available piece of rope and shouted for the assassin's life.

Vice-President Roosevelt is on his way from Burlington, Vt., to Buffalo.

Details of the attempt on the President's life and how the news was received will be found on pages 2 and 3 of this edition.